

August 10, 2004

To: Thousand Springs Area Surface/Spring and Ground Water Users and Stakeholders

Re: Development of Modeling Tools and Public Interfaces to be Used in the Implementation of Adaptive Management in the Thousand Springs Area, Public Meeting No. 4

Meeting Time and Date: 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 25, 2004
Meeting Location: Hagerman, American Legion Hall, 281 N. State St.

Dear Water User:

We are pleased to invite you to the fourth and final meeting for the “Development of Modeling Tools and Public Interfaces to be Used in the Implementation of Adaptive Management in the Thousand Springs Area.” As indicated above, the meeting will be held in Hagerman on Wednesday, August 25th, 2004 at 7:00 pm.

The purposes of this meeting are to share the results of this project with you, and to discuss upcoming steps. Water management in the Thousand Springs Area is transitioning from a period of plenty, where few measurements and control structures have traditionally been used, to a period of increased demands and reduced supplies. Therefore, this meeting includes discussions of the use of the MikeBasin model; future operations of Water District 36A; and methods of communicating about water use within the area.

An agenda for the meeting is enclosed. Should you need more information, kindly contact Dr. Sudhir Goyal at (208) 327-7980 or email at sgoyal@idwr.state.id.us.

Sincerely,

David R. Tuthill, Jr., Ph.D., P.E.
Adjudication Bureau Chief

Enclosure: Meeting Agenda

**Development of Modeling Tools and Public Interfaces to be Used in the
Implementation of Adaptive Management in the Thousand Springs Area**

Fourth Meeting in Hagerman

7:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 25, 2004
Hagerman, American Legion Hall, 281 N. State St.

Agenda

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| 1. Background Information | Dave Tuthill
IDWR |
| 2. MikeBasin Model* Developments
and Setup in the Thousand Springs Area | Carter Borden
DHI Water and Environment
Consultant
Graduate Student at Univ. of
Idaho, Boise Center |
| 3. Model Demonstration | Jennifer Berkey, IDWR |
| 4. Advances in the Development of Public Interfaces
for the Thousand Springs Area | Kevin Ramsey
Graduate Student at Univ. of
Washington |
| 5. Additional Modeling in the Thousand Springs Area | Sudhir Goyal, IDWR |
| 6. Future Operations in Water District 36A | Tim Luke, IDWR |
| 7. General Discussion | All |

*Note: Development of this model is supported in part by funding from the
U.S. Bureau of Reclamation